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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of inventor(s): **MICHAEL W. WARD**For: **Blowout Preventer Ram Packer and Wear Insert**

[] **REQUEST FOR NON PUBLICATION. THE PRESENT APPLICATION IS NOT TO BE PUBLISHED.** It is certified that the invention disclosed in the present application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

Enclosed:

- [X] Five (5) sheets of formal drawings (in triplicate).
[X] Inventors' declaration and power of attorney.
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